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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Bannon, et al. Examiner: Huynh, P.  
Serial No.: 09/494,096 Art Unit: 1644  
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For: METHODS AND REAGENTS FOR DECREASING CLINICAL REACTION  
TO ALLERGY

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

AMENDMENT

Responsive to the Final Office Action mailed July 30, 2003 and further to the Notice of Appeal that is filed herewith, Applicants respectfully requests entrance of the following Amendment. A Petition for two (2) month extension of time from October 30, 2003 to and including December 30, 2003 to respond to the Final Office Action is being filed herewith. Applicant thus submits that the present Amendment and Notice of Appeal are timely filed on December 5, 2003.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this Amendment.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this Amendment.